

1 H.232

2 Introduced by Representative Keenan of St. Albans City

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Motor vehicles; registration; farm trucks; agricultural custom service  
6 vehicles

7 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to impose a  
8 registration fee for farm trucks and agricultural custom service vehicles  
9 registered under 23 V.S.A. § 367(f) that is one-half the registration fee for  
10 motor trucks of the same weight, and that incremental revenues from these  
11 registration fees be deposited in the Vermont Working Lands Enterprise Fund.

12 An act relating to farm truck and agricultural custom service vehicle  
13 registration fees

14 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

15 Sec. 1. 23 V.S.A. § 367(f)(1) is amended to read:

16 (f)(1) The annual fee for registration of a farm truck of a total weight,  
17 determined as provided in subsection (a) of this section, used only for the  
18 transportation of agricultural products produced on, and material to be used in  
19 connection with the operation of, a farm or farms owned, operated, or occupied  
20 by the registrant, or motor trucks which are agricultural custom service

1 vehicles as defined in subdivision 4(70) of this title, shall be one-half of the  
2 registration fee of a motor truck of the same weight as specified in  
3 subsection (a) of this section. A registration fee collected under this  
4 subdivision shall be deposited in the Vermont Working Lands Enterprise Fund  
5 created at 6 V.S.A. § 4605, except that a portion of the fee shall be deposited in  
6 the Transportation Fund as follows:

7 (A) \$40.00 if the total gross weight of the vehicle is less than 18,000  
8 pounds. ~~If the;~~

9 (B) \$61.00 if the total gross weight is at least 18,000 pounds but is  
10 less than 35,000 pounds, ~~the fee shall be \$61.00. If;~~

11 (C) \$115.00 if the total gross weight is at least 35,000 pounds but  
12 ~~does not exceed~~ is less than 60,000 pounds, ~~the fee shall be \$115.00. If; and~~

13 (D) \$182.50 if the total gross weight exceeds is at least 60,000  
14 pounds but does not exceed 80,000 pounds, ~~the fee shall be \$182.50.~~

15 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

16 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.